

The Latest News and Gossip from the Local Pin Knights

NEWS, NOTES AND GOSSIP OF THE BOWLERS

By AL MACHLER.

The sixth annual tournament of the National Bowling Association, will be held in Paterson, N. J., and starts on March 9, winding up on March 20.

Mr. John J. Fitzgerald, manager of the Paterson County Bowling Association, under whose auspices this event will be held, is already busy drumming up entries and sending out circular letters to bowlers. In one of his general letters to bowlers, Mr. Fitzgerald quotes the following: "In connection with this important event, I am writing to about 5,000 bowlers throughout this district for the purpose of helping them to make this tournament a great success. Our committee will be in the field from now on until the last ball is rolled, but we all know that unless we receive the loyal backing of the men who knock the pins down, our efforts will be in vain. It is the bowler who makes the tournament."

A new scheme of prizes will be introduced in this tournament, whereby the average bowler will have a chance to win special prizes of silk gowns and high-grade men's shirts, if he fails to win a money prize.

Paterson is the "Silk City of America," it also manufactures more high-grade shirts for men than any other city in the United States, and these prizes, the gifts of Paterson manufacturers, will be in addition to the \$2,000 offered by the National Bowling Association, so the average bowler will have a chance aside from the regular money prizes.

In order to promote this tournament, New York alley owners have hit upon the following plan: Weekly prize bowling contests are held among the bowlers patronizing their alleys, and instead of handing the winner of the contest a cash sum, he is presented with a check for \$5-payable to the order of the National Bowling Association, which will pay for his entry in one of the three events that all bowlers must participate in in these tournaments.

talents in the same direction. Something is sure to happen, as first place depends on this series. Carry a brick in every pocket, and be prepared for the "worst."

What some of the bowlers are thankful for:

Sam Cornell—That he has one of the fastest duckpin leagues in the District.

Burdine—That the bear he was going to shoot could not run as fast as he can.

Kraus—That his team, the Manhattan, has the pennant all but nailed to the flag pole.

Shaffer—Isn't yet; but will be if the Saengers win out.

Garrett—If he can bring his hide back without having it punctured with buckshot on his hunting trip.

Watson—That he hasn't lost that forgotten voice.

Radeke—That the season is still young enough to get a good game in—maybe.

Van Buskirk—That the Chamberlains are not in the same position as the Belmont team in the standing.

Percy Levy—That he has located the "seat" of his troubles.

The Belmont team—That record score of 220.

Pete Mendell—That he "got in" any way.

Among the superstitious bowlers, both Kugel and Lawrence, of the Saengers-Bund League, take high rank, according to a story told by Henry Hagemann, from which it appears that the last time the Saengers bowled Lawrence was presented with a guaranteed-to-be-lucky rabbit's foot, which he carried in his trousers pocket. Friend Kugel was the donor of the luck-bringing charm, and all would have been well had not the foot started walking out of Lawrence's pocket, and thus gave the whole snap away.

Bowling Events During the Coming Week.

TENPINS.

DISTRICT LEAGUE.
Monday-Saengers vs. Chamberlains, at Royal alleys; Cardinals vs. Nationals, at Speedway alleys.

COLONIAL LEAGUE.
(At Palace Alley).
Monday-Knickerbockers vs. Virginians.
Tuesday-Georgetown vs. Puritans.
Wednesday-Manhattan vs. Puritans.
Saturday-Manhattan vs. Georgetown.

DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE.
(At Palace Alley).
Tuesday-Commissioners vs. Navy.
Wednesday-Alexandria vs. War.
Friday-Bureau vs. Census.

PATENT EXAMINERS' LEAGUE.
(At Avenue Alley).
Tuesday-Mechanicals vs. Clockmakers.
Wednesday-Farmers vs. Interference.
Thursday-Surveyors vs. Shoemakers.

R. Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE.
(At Union Station).
Monday-Bureau vs. Fat Men, at Fat Men's Club.
Friday-Sheep vs. Union Station.

RAILWAY RELIEF ASSOCIATION LEAGUE.
(At Casino Alley).
Monday-Norfolk vs. Eastern.
Wednesday-Traffic and Railroad vs. Lighting.
Friday-Columbia vs. Mechanical.

DISTRICT DUCKPIN LEAGUE.
Monday-Garrett vs. Belmont, at Georgetown alleys.

Tuesday-Radeke vs. Hummer, at Washington alleys.

Wednesday-Radeke vs. Arms, at Royal alleys.

Thursday-Enriquez vs. Arlington, at Royal alleys.

Friday-Tedesco vs. Good Fellows, at Speedway alleys.

NORTHEASTERN DUCKPIN LEAGUE.
(At New York alleys).

Monday-Radeke vs. Fatima.

Wednesday-Saunders vs. Lincoln Laundry.

Thursday-A. J. Bennett vs. C. W. Hillips.

Friday-Atlantic vs. Bulls.

COMMERCIAL DUCKPIN LEAGUE.
(At Casino Alley).

Monday-Tolson Laundry vs. Woodward & Loth.

Tuesday-Andrews vs. C. W. Hillips.

Wednesday-Harmon vs. C. W. Hillips.

Friday-Kearney vs. C. W. Hillips.

NATIONAL CAPITAL DUCKPIN LEAGUE.
(At Casino Alley).

Monday-Bureau vs. Fat Men, at Fat Men's Club.

Tuesday-Webster vs. Casino, at Palace alleys.

Wednesday-Puritan vs. Immaculate, at Potomac alleys.

Friday-Mount Vernon vs. Nationals, at Palace alleys.

ARCADIA DUCKPIN LEAGUE.
(At Casino Alley).

Monday-Maywood vs. Belmont.

Tuesday-Archie vs. Belmont.

Wednesday-Archie vs. Belmont.

CRACK DISTRICT PIN KNIGHTS.



Standing (from left to right)—Cooper, Van Buskirk, Garrett. Sitting—Hammer (captain), Machler, and Barber.

The Chamber of Commerce bowling team has made a fine record in the District League to date, having lost but three games out of twenty-one played. The addition of Van Buskirk has greatly strengthened the team and enabled it to stay in the lead so far, and as Garrett, Cooper, and Barber are all going good the chances for remaining in first position are bright.

NINAS ARE LEADING BY A SCANT MARGIN.

Sheehan Best Individual in Carroll Council League.

The race for first honors in the Carroll Council League is one of the closest and most interesting of any of the leagues in the District. But four games separate the leaders from the tailenders. The Ninias lead the Santa Maria by the small margin of one game, while the subway honors are shared by the Salvador and Genoa quintets. The Columbias are leading in team averages, although only tied with the Pinta five for third place.

Sheehan leads the individuals with the excellent average of 102, being the only bowler to average over the century mark. Kelly, of the Santa Maria, is second, with McDonough, of the Columbias, a close third.

Stullman, of the Genoa team, did the Franklin Baker stunt when he pulled off a strike on top of a spare and thereby enabled his team to beat the Santa Maria.

The standing of teams and complete averages of all games to date follow below:

STANDING OF TEAMS.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	Av.	Ind.
Ninias	12	4	.750	9.70	102
Santa Maria	12	5	.706	9.62	98
Columbias	12	6	.667	9.58	95
Pinta	10	11	.476	9.16	92
Salvador	9	12	.429	9.12	90
Genoa	9	12	.429	9.12	90

INDIVIDUAL STANDING.

Player	Team	W.	L.	Pct.	Av.
Sheehan	Ninias	21	3	.875	102
Kelly	Santa Maria	20	7	.741	98
McDonough	Columbias	18	9	.667	95
Stullman	Genoa	18	10	.643	92
McDonough	Salvador	18	10	.643	92
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NORTHEASTERN DUCKPIN LEAGUE NOTES AND GOSSIP.

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Nick Miles is hitting the pins at last year's pace. Keep your eye on Nick and his Hilltop bunch.

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HERALD'S HONOR LIST.

HIGH TENPIN SCORES.

Player	League	Score
Essex	Departmental	231
Parker	Colonial	229
Myers	Departmental	228
Hamel	Departmental	215
Van Buskirk	Departmental	214
Whitney	Colonial	212
Van Buskirk	District	211
Ekstein	District	211
Thomas	Colonial	211

HIGH SETS—THREE GAMES.

Player	Score
Purker	608
Myers	601
Thomas	592
Waters	584
Van Buskirk	578
Walker	578
Whitney	577
Ekstein	574
Shaffer	570

HIGH DUCKPIN SCORES.

Player	Score
Ricketts	158
Murphy	148
Fowler	144
Whitney	144
Grist	144
Copeland	126
Fredericks	125
Halley	124
Kraus	123
Roberts	122
Farrow	122
J. Loveless	122
Elker	121
Van Ness	121
Eisenman	120
Harrigan	120

HIGH SETS—THREE GAMES.

Player	Score
Ricketts	371
J. Loveless	368
Kraus	361
Harrigan	359
McCormick	352
Baum	351
Fowler	350
Miles	350
Hagan	345
Gull	345
Wells	344
Eisenman	344
Van Ness	341
Fredericks	341
Murphy	340

the Atlantic-Crescent set last week, and Cap Knicker was asked for waivers on him. Crescent and Rosales take notice.

Capt. Sam Loveless says that never again will he manage a championship team. Sam, your troubles have just begun.

The Bill team only needs a goat, and they will have every Billy in town.

Would somebody please take the Northeastern mascot (Allison), or will furnish car fare if Armstrong takes him out to the Potomac alleys—providing he will go.

There should be some game when the Bennetts and Hilltops clash Thursday next.

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DOWN THE ALLEYS.

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Chamberlains	12	5	.706	9.62
Cardinals	12	6	.667	9.58
Nationals	12	7	.630	9.48
Georgetown	12	8	.600	9.38
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PATENT EXAMINERS' BOWLING LEAGUE.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	Av.
Interference	12	4	.750	9.70
Knickerbockers	12	5	.706	9.62
Chamberlains	12	6	.667	9.58
Georgetown	12	7	.630	9.48
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MANHATTANS LEAD COLONIAL LEAGUE.

Bunn Is First Among Individual Bowlers.

The Manhattans are still keeping up their great work, and while they dropped one game last week, are leading the league by a safe margin and in no apparent danger of being headed.

The Manhattans, although the Knickerbockers' best team game falls but one pin short of this mark. The best team set has been bowled by the Pioneers, with 2,584.

Walker, of the pace-setting Manhattan five, holds the record for the season's highest individual score, with 20, while Harwood, of the Pioneers, has the best set of three games to his credit, with 67.

The complete averages of all games bowled to date and the standing of teams are given below:

COLONIAL LEAGUE AVERAGES.

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KNICKERBOCKERS.

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Knickerbockers	12	6	.667	9.58
Georgetown	12	7	.630	9.48
Puritans	12	8	.600	9.38
Cardinals	12	9	.571	9.28
Manhattans	12	10	.543	9.18
Pioneers	12	11	.519	9.08

VIRGINIANS.

Player	W.	L.	Pct.	Av.
Virginians	12	6	.667	9.58
Georgetown	12	7	.630	9.48
Puritans	12	8	.600	9.38
Cardinals	12	9	.571	9.28
Manhattans	12	10	.543	9.18
Pioneers	12	11	.519	9.08

BOYS WANTED.

—to serve papers in Northeast Section.

CALL AT CIRCULATION DEPT. WASHINGTON HERALD.

PREP QUINT WINS FROM THE YANKEES.

G. U. Youngsters Take Basket-ball Game, 20 to 11.

In the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night the Georgetown Preparatory School basket-ball team beat the Y. M. C. A. Yankees goal team in a fast game, 20 to 11. This is the second game of the Prep have played, as well as the second victory in their belts, and the Hilltop youngsters are jubilant and, more than ever, they are confident that their squad will cop the championship laurels again this year as they did last season.

For the Prep the most constant goal getter was Martin, who scored four goals from the field, closely followed by Ed. Marum, who had three field tosses to his credit. Rutherford, for the Y. M. C. A. Yankees, made two field goals, the greatest number made by any one of his squad. He also raised three pretty foul goals, over the rim.

CHALLENGED DUCKPIN MATCH ARRANGED.

Belmont to Roll Northeastern League Cracks.

The principals in the much-talked about duckpin match between a piked team of stars from the Northeastern League and the Belmonts, one of the crack quintets of the District Duckpin League, met last night and arranged the details for the big event.

Belmont, under circumstances, the match will take place on the Royal alleys, on Friday, December 1, at 8 o'clock in the evening. The Royal alleys were selected on account of being furnished with the new duckpin spotting device invented by Mr. Frank Sherman, the proprietor of this popular bowling establishment.

The line-up of the teams will be picked from the following well-known duckpin artists:

Belmonts—Rider, Hawksworth, Halley, Oliver, Michael, and Young.

Northeastern—Loveless, Carroll, Elliott, Ricketts, Oehler, Easton, and Fowler.

The conditions of the match call for the best two games out of three, and, as the bowlers are among the very pick of the District, an interesting and exciting contest is looked for.

The original suggestion of nine games has been passed up by the principals, owing to the length of time this would take and the difficulty in arranging dates, as the majority of the members of both teams are affiliated with other leagues, making considerable demands on their time.

A challenge has also been received from the National Capital Duckpin League, who are desirous of demonstrating their ability as pin-spillers, but, as the best bowlers of the Northeastern are also members of the National Capital League, this will likely be an arranging matter. This will be attended to by the league after the present series is over.

Arthur Loveless, the captain of the A. J. Bennett Company team, who has been acting as spokesman of the Northeastern League, finds that the arranging of such matches takes up too much of his time, and that he is unable to devote with any more, though not receding any from the position taken by him, and suggests that teams wishing to bowl their own series, should arrange to do so direct or the owner of their home alleys, Sam Cornell, who will accommodate all teams.

JAMESTOWN RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds; seven furlongs; selling. O. U. Buster, 102 (Schuttenger), 11 to 5, won; Fort Worth, 106 (Forsyth), 7 to 1, second; Corinth, 101 (Turner), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.2-5.

SECOND RACE—For two-year-olds; six furlongs; selling. O. U. Buster, 102 (Schuttenger), 11 to 5, won; Fort Worth, 106 (Forsyth), 7 to 1, second; Corinth, 101 (Turner), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.2-5.

THIRD RACE—For all ages; one mile. Bob R. 110 (Schuttenger), even, won; Sugar, 112